Mountain Weather Forecast

Snowdonia National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 05 Jul 2023 until 23:59 on Thursday 06 Jul 2023

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 04 Jul 2023 at 16:31

Confidence: High for generally unsettled trend with outbreaks of rain and mainly brief, drier spells of weather.

Headline for Wednesday 05 Jul 2023: Sunshine and well-scattered showers throughout the day.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 05 Jul 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** No Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** Medium Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Light rain showers (night)	Light rain showers (night)	Cloudy	Cloudy	Light rain showers	Light rain showers	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
10%	20%	10%	00%	20%	20%	20%	00%

Forecast for Wednesday 05 Jul 2023

Weather: A little cloudy through the early ours and during the early morning, with well scattered light showers. A brief drier and brighter period through the morning, before further scattered sharp showers develop through the afternoon. These easing into the evening to leave a dry end to the day with some clear spells. Feeling breezy throughout.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 60% at first, quickly increasing to 90% through the morning.

Low Cloud and visibility: Around 400m at times during the morning, with moderate or poor visibility in the scattered showers. Increasing to generally above the summits, but perhaps down to 400m again in any showers during the afternoon.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	15/18 W	18/22 NW	19/25 W	18/24 W	18/25 W	22/31 SW	22/29 SW	21/27 SW	19/25 SW
600	10/13 W	12/16 NW	14/19 NW	15/20 W	15/22 W	18/26 SW	17/23 SW	13/20 SW	12/18 SW
300	6/10 W	7/13 NW	9/16 NW	11/18 W	11/19 W	13/24 SW	12/22 SW	8/18 SW	7/16 SW
Valley	6/11 W	8/14 NW	10/17 W	11/18 W	11/19 W	13/24 W	12/22 SW	8/18 SW	7/16 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
900	7/4	6/2	6/1	6/2	8/3	8/4	8/3	8/3	7/3
600	9/7	8/6	8/5	9/6	10/7	11/8	10/7	10/7	10/7
300	11/10	10/9	10/8	12/10	13/11	14/11	13/11	12/10	12/10
Valley	12/11	12/10	12/10	13/11	14/12	15/13	15/13	14/12	13/12
Freezing Level*	2000m	2000m	1700m	1700m	1800m	2000m	2100m	2000m	1900m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

A generally fine day, but sharp showers are possible from late morning, with these affecting underfoot conditions and making some surfaces quite slippery.

Forecast for Thursday 06 Jul 2023

Weather: Mainly dry and bright at first, but turning cloudier from the west, with isolated showers developing into the afternoon along with strengthening southwesterly winds, these perhaps reaching gale force by the evening.

Maximum wind: Southwesterly 25-30mph with gusts 40-45mph, these stronger later in the period.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 90% becoming 70% by the evening.

Low Cloud and visibility: Mainly above the summits with only brief falls to around 600m associated with showers. Generally good or very good visibility.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 12 becoming 18 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 7 Celsius
Freezing level: Above the summits

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